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In re application of

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For: STEEL WIRE AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING THE SAME

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

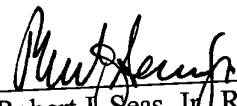
Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time of **one** month, extending the time for responding to the Notification of Missing Requirements of **January 12, 2000 to March 13, 2000**. This Petition is timely filed for a one-month extension because March 12, 2000, fell on a Sunday.

A check for the statutory fee of **\$110.00** is attached. Please charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or § 1.17 necessary to keep this application pending in the Patent and Trademark Office or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. A **duplicate** copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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